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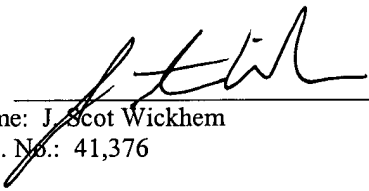
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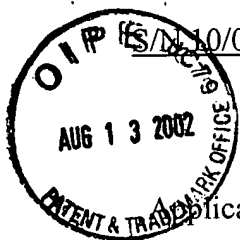
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- ☒ Transmittal Sheet containing Certificate of Mailing
- ☒ Check(s) in the amount of \$2,076.00 for basic filing fee, additional claims fees and surcharge and in the amount of \$920.00 for Three-Month Extension of Time
- ☒ Notice to File Missing Parts of Nonprovisional Application--Part 2
- ☒ Request for Three-Month Extension of Time
- ☒ Executed Combined Declaration and Power of Attorney
- ☒ Letter to Official Draftsperson
- ☒ Formal Drawings, 11 sheets
- ☒ Return postcard

Please consider this transmittal as a Petition for Extension of Time for a sufficient number of months to enter these papers or any future reply, if necessary. Please charge any deficiencies or credit any overpayment in the enclosed fees to Deposit Account No. 50-0413.

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LETTER TO OFFICIAL DRAFTSPERSON

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Dear Sir:

Submitted herewith are eleven (11) sheets of formal drawings for filing in the above-referenced patent application.

Respectfully submitted,

Dated: August 13, 2002

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NOTICE TO FILE MISSING PARTS OF NONPROVISIONAL APPLICATION

FILED UNDER 37 CFR 1.53(b)

Filing Date Granted

An application number and filing date have been accorded to this application. The item(s) indicated below, however, are missing. Applicant is given **TWO MONTHS** from the date of this Notice within which to file all required items and pay any fees required below to avoid abandonment. Extensions of time may be obtained by filing a petition accompanied by the extension fee under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a).

- The statutory basic filing fee is missing.
Applicant must submit \$ 740 to complete the basic filing fee for a non-small entity. If appropriate, applicant may make a written assertion of entitlement to small entity status and pay the small entity filing fee (37 CFR 1.27).
- Total additional claim fee(s) for this application is \$1206.
 - \$702 for 39 total claims over 20.
 - \$504 for 6 independent claims over 3.
- The oath or declaration is unsigned.
- To avoid abandonment, a late filing fee or oath or declaration surcharge as set forth in 37 CFR 1.16(l) of \$130 for a non-small entity, must be submitted with the missing items identified in this letter.
- **The balance due by applicant is \$ 2076.**

The application is informal since it does not comply with the regulations for the reason(s) indicated below.

The required item(s) identified below must be timely submitted to avoid abandonment:

- Substitute drawings in compliance with 37 CFR 1.84 because:
 - drawing sheets do not have the appropriate margin(s) (see 37 CFR 1.84(g)). Each sheet must include a top margin of at least 2.5 cm. (1 inch), a left side margin of at least 2.5 cm. (1 inch), a right side margin of at least 1.5 cm. (5/8 inch), and a bottom margin of at least 1.0 cm. (3/8 inch);

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